

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): Guyre et al.

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DC-0153

Application No. 09/817,950	Filing Date March 27, 2001	Examiner Michail A. Belyavskyi	Customer No. 26259	Group Art Unit 1644	Confirmation No. 4097
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Invention: METHOD FOR MONITORING AN INFLAMMATORY RESPONSE CASCADE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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This is a reply to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2006 setting a three (3) month period for response. Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

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